

IN THE HIGH COURT OF GUJARAT AT AHMEDABAD

SPECIAL CIVIL APPLICATION No 8595 of 1998

For Approval and Signature:

Hon'ble MR.JUSTICE M.S.PARIKH

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1. Whether Reporters of Local Papers may be allowed to see the judgements?
2. To be referred to the Reporter or not?
3. Whether Their Lordships wish to see the fair copy of the judgement?
4. Whether this case involves a substantial question of law as to the interpretation of the Constitution of India, 1950 of any Order made thereunder?
5. Whether it is to be circulated to the Civil Judge?

NATUBHAI BACHARBHAI PATEL

Versus

DISTRICT DEVELOPMENT OFFICER

Appearance:

MR DILIP B RANA for Petitioner

MR HS MUNSHAW for Respondent

CORAM : MR.JUSTICE M.S.PARIKH

Date of decision: 16/10/98

ORAL JUDGEMENT

Leave to delete respondents no.2 and 3.

Rule. Service of rule is waived by Mr. H.S. Munshaw, learned advocate appearing for the respondent. In the facts and circumstances of the case and with the consent of the learned advocates for the parties, the matter is taken up for final hearing today.

2. Heard.

3. It is, no doubt, true that the petitioner has moved this court at the stage of show cause notice. However, it is the apprehension on the part of the petitioner that he might be suspended and the charge will be handed over to the UP Sarpanch. Without entering into the merits of the matter, following directions are required to be issued:

The respondent will hear the petitioner and decide the matter in accordance with law without being influenced by this order. However, if any order adverse to the petitioner is passed, same shall not be implemented for a period of one week from the date of communication of such order. Subject to these directions, rule is discharged with no order as to costs. D.S. permitted.

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